# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

# ONE-HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2017

# WEEKLY CALENDAR



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Week of March 20, 2017

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House Committee and Sub-Committee Schedule				
Monday				
	16	29	30	31
1:30			TRANSPORTATION	
5:00	SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER			
Tuesday				
	16	29	30	31
8:00				
8:30				
9:00	INSURANCE & BANKING	ED. ADMIN.		LOCAL
9:30				
10:00				
10:30	HEALTH			AG & NAT. RES
11:00	Health Sub (immediately following full committee)			
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12:00	Ed. Instr. Sub	STATE		
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1:00				
1:30	FINANCE	TRANSPORTATION		Criminal Sub
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3:00	CIVIL	Ed. Admin. Sub	B & U Sub	Local Sub
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12:00	Trans. Sub	I & B Sub	Gov. Op.	CRIMINAL
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1:30	BUS. & UTILITIES	State Sub	Ed. Instr. Sub	Civil Sub
2:00				
3:00			Health Sub	
Thursday	<u> </u>			

\* 16, 29, 30, and 31 refer to House Hearing Rooms located in the Legislative Plaza 
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Cal. & Rules (TBA)

SESSION HOUSE CHAMBER

8:00

9:00

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#### **Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR31 - 10:30 AM

#### Halford, Chair; Holt, Vice-Chair;

Hawk, Hulsey, Lollar, Marsh, Matheny, McDaniel, Mitchell, Reedy, Shaw, Tillis, Windle

#### HJR 0128 by \*Sanderson

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - James Stroud, Tennessee Fish and Wildlife Commission -

#### HJR 0094 by \*Harwell, Lollar

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Dennis A. Gardner, Tennessee Fish and Wildlife Commission -

#### HJR 0165 by \*Halford, Eldridge

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Angela Box, Tennessee Fish and Wildlife Commission -

#### HJR 0167 by \*Halford, Farmer

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Kent Woods, Tennessee Fish and Wildlife Commission -

## HJR 0168 by \*Halford, Keisling

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Brian McLerran, Tennessee Fish and Wildlife Commission -

## HJR 0166 by \*Halford, Smith

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Tom Midyett, State Forestry Commission -

# HB 0312 by \*Hawk, Casada, Moody (SB 1200 by \*Norris, Niceley)

Environment and Conservation, Department of - As introduced, makes confidential certain information related to guests of state parks. - Amends TCA Section 11-1-102.

#### HB 1103 by \*Hill T (SB 0989 by \*Niceley)

Animal Control - As introduced, requires animal shelters to hold a cat or dog for at least 48 hours and make reasonable attempts to contact the animal's owner during that time before spaying or neutering the animal; requires the animal shelter to keep records of such attempts at contact. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14, Part 2; Title 44 and Section 55-4-290.

#### HB 0009 by \*Brooks H (SB 0116 by \*Briggs)

Education, Higher - As introduced, allows the administrative head of each public institution of higher education to adopt policies prohibiting smoking on the institution's campus, except for smoking locations; exempts educational buildings on campuses of public institutions of higher education from smoking prohibition if allowed by policies created by the administrative head of the institution. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 39, Chapter 15 and Title 49.

#### HB 0138 by \*Sexton C (SB 1337 by \*Bailey)

Mining and Quarrying - As introduced, requires mine owners to include man hours, in lieu of the tons mined, on an annual report to the department of labor and workforce development; exempts mines subject to federal regulations from using an examination developed by the department for applicants for the position of mine foreman. - Amends TCA Title 59.

# HB 0785 by \*Littleton (SB 1335 by \*Bailey, Bowling)

Boats, Boating - As introduced, requires the executive director of the wildlife resources agency, in consultation with the department of environment and conversation, to conduct a study of the risks associated with the use of nonmotorized vessels at outdoor recreation areas located on waters of the state. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 11, Chapter 3; Title 39; Title 47; Title 56; Title 67; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70.

# HB 0158 by \*Marsh (SB 0683 by \*Yager)

Water Pollution - As introduced, requires public water systems for which a monthly fluoride test is confirmed by quarterly laboratory analysis to exceed 1.5 mg/L to have each monthly test analyzed by a laboratory until fluoride levels are below 1.5 mg/L for three consecutive months. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221, Part 7.

# HB 0648 by \*McDaniel, Sargent (SB 0237 by \*Southerland, Ketron, Bailey)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, provides exceptions to the standard formula required for gasoline blended with ethanol. - Amends TCA Section 47-18-1304.

#### HB 0468 by \*Reedy (SB 0454 by \*Bell)

Licenses - As introduced, provides for reimbursement to the wildlife resources agency for lost revenue resulting from the issuance of free or partially discounted combination hunting and fishing licenses to persons on or after January 1, 2017. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3 and Title 70.

#### HB 0764 by \*Halford (SB 0819 by \*Southerland, Bowling)

Water Pollution - As introduced, requires that cases involving potential violations of the Water Quality Control Act be immediately transferred by the wildlife resources agency to the department of environment and conservation for investigation; requires the department of environment and conservation to consult with the department of agriculture when investigating on property used in agriculture. - Amends TCA Title 69 and Title 70.

#### **Business and Utilities Committee**

Wednesday, March 22, 2017 - HHR16 - 1:30 PM

#### Marsh, Chair; Calfee, Vice-Chair;

Camper, Clemmons, Doss, Favors, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Hazlewood, Holsclaw, Johnson, McCormick, Powell, Powers, Sparks, Swann, Tillis, White D

#### HB 1316 by \*Marsh (SB 1322 by \*Tracy)

Economic and Community Development, Dept. of - As introduced, removes requirement that agencies receiving public funding to assist businesses with sales volumes of \$200,000 or less, or with fewer than 15 employees, must annually file a report with the department detailing the agencies' success with assisting such businesses; removes requirement that the office of minority business enterprise, or other division, must file a report with the commissioner compiling the agencies' filed data and must annually report the results of the data to the general assembly. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3.

#### HB 1217 by \*Hicks (SB 1305 by \*Crowe)

Funeral Directors and Embalmers - As introduced, requires that of the 10 hours of continuing education coursework required for renewal of licensure of funeral directors and embalmers, 5 of those hours must be attended in person, which means the coursework is either completed in the physical presence of the provider of the coursework or through an interactive virtual program that requires participants to confirm their presence during the program. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 5.

#### HB 0471 by \*Hazlewood (SB 0428 by \*Stevens)

Funeral Directors and Embalmers - As introduced, removes social security number from the information that a funeral establishment must include on the permanent identification device attached to a dead human body prior to interment. - Amends TCA Section 62-5-313.

# HB 0152 by \*Hazlewood (SB 0231 by \*Lundberg)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, clarifies that for the audited financial reports of certain self-sufficient utilities, a change in net position means total revenues less all grants, capital contributions, and expenses. - Amends TCA Section 7-82-401 and Section 68-221-1010.

#### HB 0624 by \*Eldridge (SB 0611 by \*Jackson)

Funeral Directors and Embalmers - As introduced, defines funeral directing to include the directing or supervising of other commemorative services, in addition to the existing services provided by law, such as supervising funerals, preparing dead human bodies for burial, disposing of dead human bodies, maintaining a place for the care of dead human bodies, and other services. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 5 and Title 68.

#### HB 0306 by \*Hawk, Casada, Gant (SB 1194 by \*Norris, Roberts, Bowling)

Barbers and/or Cosmetologists - As introduced, removes licensure requirement for persons whose occupation or practice is confined solely to shampooing. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4.

## HB 0300 by \*Hawk, Casada, Howell (SB 1188 by \*Norris, Watson)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, revises various professional regulatory provisions. - Amends TCA Title 62.

# <u>HB 0529</u> by \*Hawk, Casada, Swann, Marsh, Doss, Carter, Howell, Brooks K, Calfee, Reedy, Powers, Eldridge, Holsclaw, Byrd, Gant, Travis, Hazlewood, Hicks, Sanderson (SB 1215 by \*Norris, Bell, Yager, Ketron)

Telecommunications - As introduced, creates a grant program for promoting the deployment and adoption of broadband internet access services; provides certain standards that must be met by a local community to benefit from such grants; allows an electric cooperative to provide broadband service within or without the cooperative's service area, subject to certain requirements; provides a tax credit for qualified broadband internet access equipment. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 7; Title 7, Chapter 59, Part 3; Title 65, Chapter 25 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20.

# HB 0326 by \*Hawk, Casada (SB 1217 by \*Norris, Stevens)

Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, authorizes commissioners and chief executive officers of administrative departments under which regulatory boards operate to review and either approve or veto rules that may constitute unreasonable restraints of trade. - Amends TCA Title 4.

# HB 1392 by \*Jernigan (SB 0589 by \*Yarbro)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, allows a homeowner to cancel a contract for alarm services for a period longer than two years by giving 30 days' written notice to the alarm systems contractor after the initial two years if the homeowner has to sell the real property due to medical reasons. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 32, Part 3.

# HB 0566 by \*Howell, Zachary, Carter, Goins, Rogers, Lamberth, Powers, Byrd, Brooks K, Matlock, Doss, White D (SB 0449 by \*Bell)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, requires state governmental entities that establish or adopt guides to practice to do so through the promulgation of rules; guides to practice include codes of ethics, voluntary certification programs, and other measures required to ensure minimum quality of service. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 49; Title 62; Title 63; Title 68; Title 69 and Title 70.

#### HB 0333 by \*Doss (SB 0292 by \*Tracy)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, changes the date on which assessments of costs in disciplinary cases conducted by agencies connected to the division of regulatory boards become final and subject to judgment and execution from 30 to 35 days from the date of the assessment. - Amends TCA Title 55; Title 56, Chapter 1 and Title 62, Chapter 6.

#### **HB** 0484 by \*Travis (SB 0438 by \*Johnson)

Business Organizations - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Uniform Limited Partnership Act of 2017." - Amends TCA Title 61.

#### HB 0753 by \*Goins, Matheny (SB 0820 by \*Southerland)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, authorizes the department of commerce and insurance to consider certain criminal convictions by members of entities and organizations applying for scrap metal dealer registration in determining approval of such registration; exempts employees and agents of licensed scrap metal dealers from registration. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 9.

# HB 0979 by \*Calfee (SB 0473 by \*Roberts)

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, enacts the "Freedom to Prosper Act" to limit the circumstances under which local government entities may regulate occupations. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 56, Chapter 1, Part 3; Title 62 and Title 63.

# HB 0456 by \*Littleton (SB 0469 by \*Niceley, Bowling)

Real Property - As introduced, prohibits homeowners' associations from adopting or enforcing regulations that prohibit veterans from flying the U.S. flag and military flags. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 66.

# HB 1020 by \*Sexton C (SB 1086 by \*Stevens)

Real Property - As introduced, enacts the "Short-Term Rental Unit Act" and revises other provisions concerning short-term rentals, including taxation. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 13; Title 56; Title 62; Title 66; Title 67 and Title 68.

#### **Civil Justice Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR16 - 3:00 PM

#### Farmer, Chair; Moody, Vice-Chair;

Beck, Carter, Casada, Daniel, Forgety, Hardaway, Rogers, Stewart, Terry

#### HB 0188 by \*DeBerry (SB 0160 by \*Kelsey)

Courts, General Sessions - As introduced, changes the method by which a civil action in the general sessions courts is commenced from issuance of a warrant by the clerk to filing a warrant with the clerk. - Amends TCA Section 16-15-716.

#### $\frac{1}{100}$ HB $\frac{0875}{100}$ by \*Akbari (SB 0433 by \*Jackson)

Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, requires the youth services officer, rather than the juvenile court clerk, to file certain information with the council of juvenile and family court judges and the department of children's services in counties that have youth services officers. - Amends TCA Title 37.

#### HB 0463 by \*Staples, Hardaway (SB 0494 by \*Briggs)

Marriage - As introduced, authorizes a member of the armed forces of the United States who is deployed to another country to apply for a marriage license by submitting a notarized statement to the county clerk and to designate a proxy to appear at the marriage ceremony. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 3.

# **HB** 0432 by \*Hardaway (SB 1278 by \*Norris)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, revises certain reckless endangerment provisions; establishes enhanced punishment for acts constituting "community terrorism." - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13.

Dept. of Children's Services Commissioner, Bonnie Hommrich to speak about Mountain View Correctional Center

#### **Consumer and Human Resources Committee**

Wednesday, March 22, 2017 - HHR30 - 10:30 AM

Eldridge, Chair; Pody, Vice-Chair; Casada, Lynn, Matlock, Staples, Thompson, White M

### **HB** 0120 by \*Lynn (SB 0283 by \*Lundberg)

Consumer Protection - As introduced, extends from 180 to 185 the number of days following cancellation due to a natural disaster of an event sponsored by a charitable organization that must elapse before ticket buyers forfeit refund of the purchase price. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 47 and Title 62.

#### **Criminal Justice Committee**

#### Wednesday, March 22, 2017 - HHR31 - 12:00 PM

#### Lamberth, Chair; Curcio, Vice-Chair;

Akbari, Coley, Farmer, Goins, Jones, Littleton, Parkinson, Sherrell, VanHuss

#### HB 0317 by \*Hawk, Casada, Daniel (SB 1206 by \*Norris, Overbey)

Mental Illness - As introduced, establishes procedures to be followed by the trial court for the diagnosis, evaluation, and initial treatment of persons found not guilty by reason of insanity for first degree murder or certain other Class A felonies. - Amends TCA Section 33-7-303.

#### HB 0189 by \*DeBerry (SB 1100 by \*Kyle, Bowling)

Bail, Bail Bonds - As introduced, releases bail bondsman from the obligations of a bail or surety bond if the bond has been in effect for three years, if the defendant has not been arrested or indicted during that period and if the court, for good cause shown, has not extended the three-year period. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 11.

#### HB 0573 by \*Howell, Lamberth, White M (SB 0682 by \*Yager)

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, adds the offense of aggravated burglary to the list of offenses ineligible for judicial diversion. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 39, Chapter 15 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

# HB 1051 by \*Matlock, Rogers, Ragan, Daniel (SB 0902 by \*Bell)

Traffic Safety - As introduced, imposes a fine of \$200 for violations of the offense of obstructing public highways and streets where the obstruction restricts emergency vehicle access. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17; Title 54 and Title 55.

## **HB** 1264 by \*Towns (SB 0274 by \*Harris)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, clarifies that housing and apartment complex common areas are not considered areas open to the general public for purposes of criminal trespass. - Amends TCA Section 39-11-106 and Section 39-14-405.

#### HB 0890 by \*Pody, VanHuss (SB 0750 by \*Beavers)

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, authorizes the board of claims to hear claims for compensation by persons whose convictions are vacated based on DNA evidence after serving at least 25 years in prison and to grant appropriate relief. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 9, Chapter 8, Part 1 and Title 40.

#### HB 0039 by \*Goins (SB 0134 by \*Roberts)

DUI Offenses - As introduced, requires search warrant or written consent prior to a blood test being performed to determine alcoholic or drug content of a driver's blood. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 40, Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4.

#### HB 0783 by \*Littleton, White M (SB 1050 by \*Bowling)

Probation and Parole - As introduced, adds the offense of rape to the list of offenses for which a person is ineligible for probation consideration. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13; Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 39, Chapter 15; Title 39, Chapter 16 and Title 40, Chapter 35.

# HB 0786 by \*Littleton, Lamberth, Goins, Hulsey, VanHuss, Carter, Curcio, Akbari, Carr, Coley (SB 1176 by \*Hensley)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, expands voluntary manslaughter to include causing the death of another by unlawful distribution or delivery of a controlled substance, when the controlled substance is a contributing factor in the death of the user. - Amends TCA Section 39-13-211.

# **HB** 0636 by \*Akbari (SB 1253 by \*Norris)

Juvenile Offenders - As introduced, makes various changes to the expunction of juvenile court records, including creating a process for the expunction of juvenile court records for cases in which the juvenile successfully completed pretrial or judicial diversion. - Amends TCA Section 37-1-153 and Section 40-32-101.

# HB 0763 by \*Curcio (SB 0724 by \*Kelsey)

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, establishes criteria and standards to become a certified public or private monitoring company that uses GPS, transdermal, and other electronic devices to monitor the alcohol and drug use and location of a person accused or convicted of certain criminal offenses. - Amends TCA Title 40.

#### HB 0004 by \*Parkinson, Cooper (SB 0221 by \*Harris)

Probation and Parole - As introduced, requires the board of probation and parole to meet and order the release of a parolee whose parole has been revoked and who has been reincarcerated as the result of being charged with an offense committed while on parole if that charge is dismissed. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 28.

#### HB 0109 by \*Parkinson (SB 1134 by \*Kyle)

Controlled Substances - As introduced, increases the amount of marijuana possessed or exchanged under the offenses of simple possession or casual exchange from less than one-half ounce to less than one ounce; prohibits the inference of purpose of selling or otherwise dispensing when the substance possessed or exchanged was less than one ounce of marijuana. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 40.

#### HB 0963 by \*Lamberth, Hawk, White M (SB 1226 by \*Massey)

District Attorneys - As introduced, reinstates a one-year service compensation step for assistant district attorneys that was statutorily suspended in 2003. - Amends TCA Title 8 and Title 16.

#### **Education Administration & Planning Consent Calendar**

Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR29 - 9:00 AM

#### **Brooks H, Chair; Smith, Vice-Chair;**

Akbari, DeBerry, Fitzhugh, Kane, Lollar, Matlock, Moody, Turner, Weaver, White D, White M

#### SJR 0125 by \*Gresham, Harper

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Elissa Kim, State Board of Education -

# SJR 0123 by \*Gresham, Massey, Overbey

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Mike Edwards, State Board of Education -

### SJR 0124 by \*Gresham, Ketron

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Gordon Ferguson, State Board of Education -

#### **Education Administration & Planning**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR29 - 9:00 AM

#### Brooks H, Chair; Smith, Vice-Chair;

Akbari, DeBerry, Fitzhugh, Kane, Lollar, Matlock, Moody, Turner, Weaver, White D, White M

# HB 0126 by \*Brooks H, DeBerry, Sparks (SB 0161 by \*Kelsey, Tate, Gresham, McNally, Gardenhire, Ketron, Lundberg, Haile, Johnson)

School Vouchers - As introduced, enacts the "Opportunity Scholarship Pilot Program." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1.

#### HB 1057 by \*Brooks H (SB 0571 by \*Gresham)

Education - As introduced, re-designates the "Tennessee Baccalaureate Education System Trust Act" as the "Tennessee College Savings Trust Act" and replaces the TSAC director with a state university president as a member of the program's board of trustees; transfers trusteeship of the chairs of excellence endowment fund from the state school bond authority to a new board. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 35; Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 5; Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 8; Title 55; Title 65 and Title 67.

# **HB** 1412 by \*Brooks H (SB 1418 by \*Tracy)

Education - As introduced, requires the council to prepare an annual report on the amount of money spent to meet the purposes of the Tennessee council for career and technical education. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 2.

# **HB** 0147 by \*Parkinson (SB 0217 by \*Tate)

Local Education Agencies - As introduced, permits an LEA to file annually with the commissioner of education written policies and procedures developed and adopted by the board, in consultation with local law enforcement, to authorize a school resource officer to patrol within a three-mile radius of the officer's assigned school. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

# HB 0308 by \*Hawk, Casada, Brooks H, White M, Byrd (SB 1198 by \*Norris, Tracy)

Education - As introduced, revises various provisions regarding student accountability measures due to the implementation of the federal law The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) including revising the way the state board of education and the department of education determine the performance level of a school. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 6 and Section 49-6-6001.

#### HB 0322 by \*Hawk, Casada (SB 1210 by \*Norris, Gardenhire)

School Transportation - As introduced, establishes a school transportation supervisor program for the monitoring and oversight of transportation services for local education authorities and charter schools; requires new school bus drivers to complete a training program prior to transporting students; requires a driver to be at least 25 years of age to receive an initial school bus driver license endorsement. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 21; Section 55-50-302 and Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 6.

### **HB** 0872 by \*Akbari (SB 1394 by \*Tate)

Education - As introduced, prohibits the suspension or expulsion of students in pre-kindergarten and kindergarten unless the student's behavior endangers the physical safety of other students or school personnel. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 10; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

# $\underline{\text{HB}}$ 0449 by \*Forgety, Crawford, Whitson, Howell, Casada (SB 0536 by \*Tracy)

Education - As introduced, requires the office of research and education accountability to study the Response to Instruction and Intervention framework and submit a report on its implementation in elementary schools to the members of the education committee of the senate and the education administration and planning committee of the house of representatives no later than July 1, 2018. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3; Title 49, Chapter 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6.

## HB 0501 by \*Pitts, Byrd, Clemmons (SB 0481 by \*Green)

Basic Education Program (BEP) - As introduced, adds funding for three Response to Instruction and Intervention positions within each public school to the BEP calculation. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3, Part 3.

#### HB 0521 by \*Ramsey (SB 0410 by \*Overbey)

Education - As introduced, requires all public schools to place automated external defibrillator (AED) devices in schools; encourages private schools to place AED devices in schools. - Amends TCA Title 49 and Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 4.

#### **HB** 0740 by \*Powers (SB 1164 by \*Hensley)

Scholarships and Financial Aid - As introduced, requires the dual enrollment grant award (DEG) to be \$500 for each of the first four courses taken; authorizes the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation (TSAC) to determine the DEG for courses five through eight; mandates that the cost for courses five through eight shall not exceed the cost per credit hour of courses taken at community colleges in the state university and community college system. - Amends TCA Title 49.

#### HB 0745 by \*Powers (SB 0975 by \*Niceley)

Education, Higher - As introduced, allows security guards who are employed on a part-time basis by a public institution of higher education and who are handgun carry permit holders to carry a handgun on campus in certain circumstances. - Amends TCA Title 39 and Title 49.

#### $\underline{\text{HB}}$ 0441 by \*Smith (SB 0859 by \*Dickerson)

Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, authorizes the BEP to provide funding that allows all first time teachers in the state to receive \$500 for classroom instructional supplies. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3.

# **Education Instruction & Programs**

Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR16 - 12:00 PM

Forgety, Chair; Byrd, Vice-Chair; Brooks H, Butt, Dunn, Holt, Kane, Kumar, Love, Pitts, Reedy, Stewart, Towns

No Bills On Notice Committee Will NOT Meet

#### Finance, Ways & Means Committee

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR16 - 1:30 PM

#### Sargent, Chair; Brooks K, Vice-Chair;

Byrd, Camper, Carter, Coley, Crawford, DeBerry, Fitzhugh, Gilmore, Hawk, Hazlewood, Hicks, Hill M, Johnson, Love, Lynn, McCormick, McDaniel, Miller, Swann, Williams, Wirgau

#### HB 0267 by \*Brooks H (SB 0263 by \*Tracy)

Schools, Charter - As introduced, authorizes a chartering authority to require a charter school sponsor to pay an application fee of \$2,500; authorizes an LEA to receive an annual authorizer fee of up to 3 percent of the charter school's per student state and local funding if the LEA is the charter school's chartering authority. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 13.

#### HB 1171 by \*Faison (SB 0348 by \*Niceley)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption at Swann's Marina in Jefferson County. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.

# HB 0291 by \*Travis, Sargent (SB 0543 by \*Ketron)

Fiscal Review Committee - As introduced, removes the requirement that a fiscal note be furnished not more than 10 days after the introduction of certain bills or resolutions or a request for a fiscal note from a member; requires a fiscal note to be furnished upon a standing committee of either house placing such bill or resolution on its calendar. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 2; Title 3, Chapter 7 and Section 4-56-107.

# $\underline{\text{HB}}$ 0028 by \*Hill T, Hill M, Hulsey, VanHuss, Crawford (SB 0020 by \*Lundberg)

Aircraft and Airports - As introduced, confers certain powers on regional airport authorities to borrow money for corporate purposes and issue revenue bonds. - Amends TCA Title 9; Title 42, Chapter 4 and Title 42, Chapter 3.

#### HB 0088 by \*Calfee (SB 0138 by \*Johnson)

Utilities, Utility Districts - As introduced, requires members of certain utility boards of commissioners to meet training and continuing education requirements; provides that failure to meet such requirements could result in the ineligibility to receive certain financial assistance, or for members to be reelected or reappointed. - Amends TCA Section 7-34-115; Section 7-35-409; Section 7-82-307; Section 7-82-308; Section 68-221-1305; Section 68-221-605 and Section 68-221-1206.

#### HB 0577 by \*Curcio, Jernigan (SB 1244 by \*Norris)

Courts, Juvenile - As introduced, requires an adjudicating court to inform a child of the need to petition the court for expunction of a juvenile record; requires the administrative office of the courts to create and distribute an expunction petition form; requires juvenile court clerks to make the expunction petition form available to all petitioners, and to send notice of the right to petition for expunction to a child when the child attains 17 years of age. - Amends TCA Section 37-1-153.

#### **HB** 0030 by \*Lollar (SB 0032 by \*Harris)

Barbers - As introduced, broadens barbers' ability to perform services in a residence from residences of persons who are actually ill to all residences regardless of the health of the person. - Amends TCA Title 62.

#### HB 0377 by \*Moody (SB 0213 by \*Overbey)

Courts, Administrative Office of the - As introduced, authorizes the administrative director to obtain a criminal history background check through the TBI and FBI on any applicant for employment; permits the administrative director to establish the job titles or classifications to which the background check requirement applies; and requires the office to pay for the cost of the background checks. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 3, Part 8.

# **HB** 0736 by \*Rogers, Lamberth (SB 0823 by \*Haile, Harris)

Driver Licenses - As introduced, permits a judge to consider a criminal defendant's participation in recovery court as a hardship sufficient to order the stay of a criminal defendant's driver license revocation for failing to pay fines, court costs, and litigation taxes. - Amends TCA Section 40-24-105.

# HB 0320 by \*Hawk, Casada, Tillis, Sargent (SB 1207 by \*Norris, Watson)

Taxes, Franchise - As introduced, alters the formula for calculating quarterly estimated payments for franchise and excise taxes; makes other related revisions. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-2008 and Section 67-4-2015.

### **HB** 0844 by \*Fitzhugh (SB 0828 by \*Yarbro)

Taxes, Excise - As introduced, requires the commissioner of revenue to annually report the total number of jobs created for which franchise and excise tax credits were claimed for the preceding fiscal year to the members of the finance, ways and means committees of the senate and the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 20 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 21.

#### HB 0113 by \*Williams (SB 1369 by \*Bailey)

Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, authorizes municipalities located in Putnam County to prohibit, by local ordinance, smoking on the grounds of an urban park center. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17.

#### **Government Operations Committee**

#### Wednesday, March 22, 2017 - HHR30 - 12:00 PM

#### Faison, Chair; Ragan, Vice-Chair;

Calfee, Casada, Fitzhugh, Halford, Howell, Johnson, Mitchell, Stewart, Williams

#### HB 0531 by \*Hawk, Casada, Powers, Johnson (SB 1218 by \*Norris, Crowe)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, enacts the Tennessee reconnect grant. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9.

#### HB 0065 by \*Smith (SB 0901 by \*Bell)

Taxes, Excise - As introduced, exempts certain new businesses from a portion of their franchise and excise tax liability during their first two years of existence. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4.

# $\underline{\text{HB}}$ 0307 by \*Hawk, Casada, White M (SB 1195 by \*Norris, Tracy, Bowling, Bailey, Jackson, Yarbro)

Education, State Board of - As introduced, requires the board to promulgate rules to ensure the education of students incarcerated in detention centers licensed by the department of children's services by the LEA in which the detention center is located. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5, Part 1; Title 37, Chapter 5, Part 5 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30.

# HB 1061 by \*McCormick, Hawk, McDaniel, Johnson, Williams, Fitzhugh, Camper, Hill T, Jernigan, Sparks (SB 1040 by \*Watson, Ketron, Gardenhire, Tate, Dickerson, Crowe)

Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, enacts the "Historic Rehabilitation Investment Incentive Act." - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 4.

# HB 0904 by \*Kumar (SB 0735 by \*Watson)

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, separates the 5 percent tax on unprepared food into a 5 percent tax on fresh produce and meat and a 5 percent tax on all other unprepared food. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6.

#### HB 0462 by \*Kane (SB 0524 by \*Massey, Haile)

Education, State Board of - As introduced, requires the board to promulgate rules to adopt and implement books and curriculum for American sign language courses to satisfy foreign language requirements. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 10.

#### **HB** 1002 by \*Goins (SB 0393 by \*Gresham)

Education - As introduced, changes, from a written request to a signed written statement, the way in which a parent of a dual enrollment high school student authorizes the student's high school to forward the student's immunization records to the postsecondary institution. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6 and Title 49, Chapter 7.

#### HB 0193 by \*Sanderson (SB 0273 by \*Jackson)

Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, clarifies that only those administrative judges and hearing officers in the executive branch are required to complete training conducted by the department of human resources, division of training, within six months of employment. - Amends TCA Section 4-5-324.

#### **HB** 0607 by \*Gant (SB 0639 by \*Roberts)

Health Care - As introduced, authorizes certain healthcare providers or individual medical professionals to execute a contract with the department of health or a governmental contractor to deliver volunteer healthcare services to eligible low-income patients. - Amends TCA Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71.

#### **Health Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR16 - 10:30 AM

#### Sexton C, Chair; Kumar, Vice-Chair;

Butt, Clemmons, Faison, Favors, Gant, Hicks, Hill M, Holsclaw, Jernigan, Jones, Ragan, Ramsey, Sherrell, Staples, Terry, Whitson, Williams

#### HB 1271 by \*Thompson (SB 1270 by \*Norris)

Health Care - As introduced, changes from July 1 to February 1 the deadline for the board for licensing healthcare facilities and the emergency medical services board, in collaboration with the committee on pediatric emergency care, to submit a report on the current status of emergency medical services for children and on continuing efforts to improve such services to the health and welfare committee of the senate and to the health committee of the house of representatives. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 3.

#### **HB** 0069 by \*Smith (SB 0118 by \*Briggs)

TennCare - As introduced, directs the commissioner of finance and administration to submit a waiver request to the federal centers for medicare and medicaid services to enable the state to provide medical assistance to the existing TennCare II waiver population and persons with incomes below 138 percent of the federal poverty line by means of a block grant of federal funds. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 33; Title 56 and Title 71.

# HB 0694 by \*Williams (SB 0385 by \*Massey, Niceley)

Drugs, Synthetic or Analogue - As introduced, excludes from the definition of marijuana a cannabidiol product approved as a prescription medication by the United States Food and Drug Administration. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-402.

# HJR 0065 by \*Kumar

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Supports use of government-approved marijuana plant products for medicinal purposes if approved by physician based on medical evidence. -

# HB 1189 by \*Hill M, Matlock, Byrd, Lynn, Terry, Rudd, Eldridge, Weaver, Butt, Goins (SB 1180 by \*Hensley)

Abortion - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Infants Protection Act," which prohibits abortion of a viable fetus except in a medical emergency and requires testing to determine viability if a woman is at least 20 weeks pregnant. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2.

#### **Insurance and Banking Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR16 - 9:00 AM

#### Travis, Chair; Zachary, Vice-Chair;

Beck, Brooks K, Curcio, Gant, Hardaway, Hill T, Keisling, Matheny, Pitts, Pody, Powers, Rudd, Sargent, Sparks, Thompson, Towns, VanHuss

### <u>HB 0302</u> by \*Hawk, Casada (SB 1190 by \*Norris, Overbey)

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, requires captive insurance companies to pay certain penalties and interest on the late payment of premium taxes; authorizes certain captive insurance companies to apply for and operate under a letter of dormancy; provides for the conversion of protected cells and pure captive insurance companies; revises certain compensation provisions regarding examinations of insurance companies. - Amends TCA Title 56.

HB 1059 by \*Lamberth, Casada, Powers, Terry, Brooks K, Hill M, Carr, Matheny, Kane, White M, Littleton, McCormick, Hazlewood, Johnson, Farmer, Butt, Kumar, Fitzhugh, Stewart, Camper, Hill T, Faison, Hicks, White D, Akbari, Calfee, Gilmore, Swann, Jernigan, Powell, Ramsey, Pody (SB 0922 by \*Ketron, Jackson, Dickerson, Massey, Briggs, Yager, Haile, Beavers)

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, prohibits an insurance policy that provides benefits for anti-cancer medications that are injected or intravenously administered by a healthcare provider and anti-cancer medications that are patient administered from requiring a higher copayment, deductible, or coinsurance amount for the patient administered anti-cancer medication than for the injected or intravenously administered anti-cancer medication. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, Part 23.

# HB 0879 by \*Reedy, Lamberth, Powers, Hill T, Brooks K, Gant, Howell, Byrd (SB 0704 by \*Yager, Watson, Haile)

TennCare - As introduced, enacts the "Ground Ambulance Service Provider Assessment Act." - Amends TCA Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71.

## HB 0390 by \*Brooks K (SB 0256 by \*Tracy)

Interest Rates - As introduced, increases the amount of interest that may be charged by an industrial loan and thrift company on loan amounts in excess of \$100. - Amends TCA Section 45-5-301.

**TennCare Budget Presentation** 

#### **Local Government Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR31 - 9:00 AM

#### Wirgau, Chair; Howell, Vice-Chair;

Alexander, Carr, Cooper, Crawford, Eldridge, Gravitt, Miller, Parkinson, Sexton C, Sexton J

#### HB 1416 by \*Halford (SB 1429 by \*Stevens)

Gibson County - Subject to local approval, increases the wheel tax on motor vehicles from a maximum of \$10.00 to an amount equal to \$50.00, and imposes a wheel tax on motorcycles in the amount of \$15.00; allocates the revenue to the Gibson County Highway Department. - Amends Chapter 1 of the Private Acts of 1975.

#### HB 1143 by \*Casada (SB 0363 by \*Haile)

Local Government, General - As introduced, clarifies that no local government has the authority to enact a law that would place requirements regarding inclusionary, affordable, or below market value housing when entitlements, variances, or any other form of permit or authorization is sought from the local government. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 13 and Title 66.

# HB 0169 by \*McCormick, Casada (SB 0225 by \*Dickerson)

Revenue - As introduced, increases, from 10 to 15 days, the amount of notice that the trustee, deputy trustee, or delinquent tax attorney must give to a taxpayer prior to seizure of any personal property for delinquent property taxes. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 67.

# <u>HB 0704</u> by \*McCormick, Harwell, Whitson (SB 0377 by \*Overbey, Kelsey, Yarbro, Yager)

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, requires that campaign funds be deposited into a financial institution insured by the FDIC or the national credit union administration that is authorized to do business in this state. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10.

# **HB** 0488 by \*Lollar (SB 1257 by \*Norris)

Municipal Government - As introduced, authorizes cities incorporated under the general law city manager commission charter to charge fire fees for the construction and maintenance of municipal fire departments. - Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 19.

#### **HB** 1414 by \*Lollar (SB 1427 by \*Norris)

Collierville - Subject to local approval, creates term limits for the board of mayor and alderman; makes certain changes to the qualifications for the mayor and aldermen. - Amends Chapter 43 of the Private Acts of 2001.

#### HB 1418 by \*Lollar, Coley

Shelby County - Subject to local approval, increases library tax to be charged on actions of all county courts. - Amends Chapter 275 of the Private Acts of 1970; as amended.

#### HB 0086 by \*Curcio (SB 1318 by \*Crowe)

Property Assessors - As introduced, clarifies that property assessors may retain electronic or digital copies of property tax exemption applications to comply with existing retention requirement. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-212.

#### HB 0579 by \*Tillis (SB 0257 by \*Tracy)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, states that return of the receipt for a mailed summons or notice that is either signed by the defendant or marked refused shall be grounds for a default judgment in a delinquent property tax case. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-2415.

## HB 0922 by \*Reedy (SB 1283 by \*Green)

Public Employees - As introduced, changes from three days to three business days the amount of time between the deduction from the salaries of participating county employees and officials of an amount sufficient to pay the county's portion of insurance premiums and the deposit of such moneys into the county insurance fund. - Amends TCA Title 8.

# HB 0459 by \*Sherrell (SB 0389 by \*Bowling)

Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes the City of McMinnville, by ordinance adopted by a two-thirds vote, to levy an occupancy tax of not more than 3 percent on the privilege of staying in any hotel or motel in McMinnville; the ordinance must set forth the manner of collection and administration of the privilege tax; requires that all proceeds received by the municipality from the tax be used for tourism development. - Amends amend TCA Section 67-4-1425.

# HB 0162 by \*Crawford, Hulsey, Hill T, Rudd, Ramsey (SB 0286 by \*Lundberg)

Election Laws - As introduced, permits an absentee ballot to be sent to an address within a county, regardless of whether the voter requesting the absentee ballot possesses a commercial driver license or a valid transportation worker identification credential. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 6.

### HB 1417 by \*Howell (SB 1430 by \*Bell)

Benton - Subject to local approval, changes the name of the municipality from "town" to "city". - Amends Chapter 417 of the Private Acts of 1951; as amended.

## **HB** 0671 by \*Carr (SB 0925 by \*Ketron, Yager)

Election Laws - As introduced, authorizes certain members of a board of public utilities to serve as a member of a county election commission; prescribes the process for certifying new voting systems for use in this state. - Amends TCA Section 2-1-112 and Section 2-9-117.

#### **State Government Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR29 - 12:00 PM

#### Ramsey, Chair; Hulsey, Vice-Chair;

Daniel, Jernigan, Lamberth, Littleton, Powell, Rudd, Sanderson, Shaw

#### HB 0516 by \*Dunn (SB 0842 by \*Briggs)

Public Records - As introduced, removes "addresses" from definition of personally identifying information in the general exception for records held by a governmental entity. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7, Part 5.

#### HB 0594 by \*Beck (SB 0739 by \*Yarbro)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, designates Fresh Hospitality located in Nashville as an urban park center for purposes of consumption on the premises. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4, Part 1 and Title 57, Chapter 5.

#### HB 0093 by \*Powers (SB 0031 by \*Kelsey, Norris)

Constitutional Conventions - As introduced, removes limitation on the number of delegates that may be appointed to a constitutional convention. - Amends TCA Title 3, Chapter 18.

# <u>HB 1289</u> by \*Sanderson, Ramsey, Jernigan, Powell, Littleton (SB 0705 by \*Yager, Harper, Dickerson)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, authorizes The Avenue Diner in Nashville to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption; prohibits such establishment from selling or giving away alcoholic beverages or beer only between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 4:00 a.m. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 4.

## HJR 0162 by \*Ramsey

General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Jay Robinson, Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation -

## **Transportation Committee**

Monday, March 20, 2017 - HHR30 - 1:30 PM

### Doss, Chair; Rogers, Vice-Chair;

Alexander, Carr, Cooper, Dunn, Hill T, Keisling, Mitchell, Sanderson, Sexton J, Smith, Travis, Turner, Weaver, Whitson, Windle, Zachary

No Bills On Notice

Committee Will Meet Hearing on HB 534

For informational purposes only No action will be taken

#### **Transportation Committee**

#### Tuesday, March 21, 2017 - HHR29 - 1:30 PM

#### Doss, Chair; Rogers, Vice-Chair;

Alexander, Carr, Cooper, Dunn, Hill T, Keisling, Mitchell, Sanderson, Sexton J, Smith, Travis, Turner, Weaver, Whitson, Windle, Zachary

#### HB 0751 by \*Marsh (SB 0676 by \*Green)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes a person to operate a platoon on the streets and highways of this state after the person provides notification to the department of transportation and the department of safety. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 39; Title 40; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 65 and Title 67.

#### HB 1374 by \*Sargent (SB 0559 by \*Ketron)

Mass Transit - As introduced, creates a state office dedicated to providing expertise and assistance to the state and local governments regarding public-private initiatives to develop, redevelop, or operate transportation facilities under the Public-Private Transportation Act of 2016. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 54, Chapter 6.

# HB 0381 by \*Lamberth, Hill T, Marsh, Swann, Brooks K (SB 0151 by \*Green)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes the operation of autonomous vehicles on the public roads of this state. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 39; Title 40; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 65 and Title 67.

## **HB** 0743 by \*Powers (SB 0811 by \*Yager)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes off-highway vehicles on certain state routes in Campbell County. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-185.

# HB 0268 by \*Sherrell, Terry, Powers (SB 0270 by \*Beavers)

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, exempts active, volunteer firefighters and rescue squad members from payment of the regular registration fee at the time of renewal for any license plate issued to the volunteer firefighter or rescue squad member. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

#### HB 0446 by \*Curcio, Whitson (SB 0444 by \*Johnson)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, requires the department of revenue to report to the fiscal review committee and transportation committees on the actual or estimated number of passenger motor vehicles that have been issued stickers or decals to use the HOV lane. - Amends TCA Section 55-8-188.

#### HB 0713 by \*Whitson, Sargent (SB 0259 by \*Tracy, Bowling)

Aircraft and Airports - As introduced, requires the chairs of the transportation and safety committee of the senate and the transportation committee of the house of representatives to make the findings and recommendations of the advisory task force, which studied the revenue measures regarding aircraft and airport facilities in this state, the funding available to airports, and the effect of such funding on the needs of the air carrier and general aviation airports, available to any member of the general assembly upon request. - Amends TCA Title 67.

# SJR 0059 by \*Beavers, Bell, Bowling, Crowe, Jackson, Roberts, Southerland, Bailey

General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Urges President Donald J. Trump and Congress to distribute federal transportation funding to the states by block grant. -

# HB 0534 by \*Casada, Doss, Dunn, Sargent, Swann, McDaniel, Whitson, White M, Marsh (SB 1221 by \*Norris, Tracy)

Gas, Petroleum Products, Volatile Oils - As introduced, changes from July 20 to July 25 the date by which a commercial user of a vehicle propelled by liquefied gas or compressed natural gas must submit the annual report of miles traveled and tax due. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 1; Title 55, Chapter 6; Title 67, Chapter 2; Title 67, Chapter 3; Title 67, Chapter 4; Title 67, Chapter 5 and Title 67, Chapter 6.